NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT GUIDELINES FOR DETERMINING SIGNIFICANCE FOR CULTURAL RESOURCES (ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL)

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County of San Diego, Land Use and Environment Group is proposing to adopt Guidelines for Determining Significance for Cultural Resources (Archaeological and Historical). The proposed Guidelines for Determining Significance for Cultural Resources can be reviewed on the World Wide Web at http://www.sdcounty.ca.gov/dplu/ceqa_public_review.html, or at the Department of Planning and Land Use (DPLU), Project Processing Counter, 5201 Ruffin Road, Suite B, San Diego, California 92123. Comments on these proposed Guidelines must be sent to the DPLU address listed above and should reference the project number, name, and be forwarded to the attention of Donna Beddow. Comments can be forwarded via e-mail to donna.beddow@sdcounty.ca.gov.

(MISC 06-024). The Guidelines for Determining Significance for Cultural Resources will be used by County staff during the review of discretionary projects and environmental documents pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) for projects within the unincorporated area of San Diego County. These Guidelines present a range of quantitative, qualitative, and performance levels for particular environmental effects. Normally, (in the absence of substantial evidence to the contrary), non-compliance with a particular standard stated in these Guidelines will mean the project will result in a significant effect, whereas compliance will normally mean the effect will be determined to be "less than significant." Comments on the proposed Guidelines for Determining Significance for Cultural Resources must be received no later than August 16, 2006 at 4:00 p.m. (a 30-day public review period). For additional information, please contact Donna Beddow at (858) 694-3656 or by e-mail at donna.beddow@sdcounty.ca.gov.